## REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

MEETING DATE: 8/4/03

AGENDA SECTION:	ORIGINATING DEPT:	ITEM NO.
Consent Agenda	Finance Department	D-9
ITEM DESCRIPTION: LMCIT Liability Waiver Form		PREPARED BY: Jennifer King

The League of Minnesota Cities Insurance Trust (LMCIT) has indicated that the City of Rochester must choose to waive or not to waive the statutory tort liability limits for this year's renewal of the liability insurance policy through the League of Minnesota Cities Insurance Trust. In previous years, the Council has considered providing additional liability coverage. The decision at that time was not to provide additional insurance above the statutory tort liability limits. Due to the increased cost of the additional coverage and the previous determinations of continuing to provide the statutory tort limits under the City's liability insurance policy, City staff recommends that the Council does not waive the monetary limits on municipal tort liability established by Minnesota Statutes 466.04. This recommendation would also include the South Zumbro Watershed Joint Powers Board liability policy provided by the LMCIT.

## **COUNCIL ACTION REQUESTED:**

Approve the recommendation not to waive the monetary limits on municipal tort liability established by Minnesota Statutes 466.04. Authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the LMCIT Liability Coverage – Waiver Form for the City of Rochester LMCIT policy as well as the Waiver Form for the South Zumbro Watershed Joint Power Board policy.

COUNCIL ACTION: Motion by:	Second by:	to:

